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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant:** Marcus W. May

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POWER SOURCE

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In response to an Office Action mailed on 10/11/2006 regarding the above-captioned patent application, the applicant respectfully submits the following amendment and response.